

## Pushball at Macalester - a tradition - Founders Day

**What:** First pushball game in Minnesota played at Macalester Oct. 15, 1914, according to the *Mac Weekly*, “*Sore muscles, torn clothes and a score of 2 to 1 in favor of the Sophomores tells the tale of the first pushball contest ever staged in Minnesota.*”

~ Inflatable ball, 8 feet in diameter

~ Players and the ball on Old Main lawn’s slippery snow

~ **Friday, March 4, is Macalester College’s Founders Day, when Mac celebrates its 137<sup>th</sup> birthday - To help celebrate, we’ll be playing pushball.**

**Who:** Students, faculty and staff: **about 50-60 people**

**When:** Friday, March 4, 2011 – 12 pm

**Where:** Macalester College - **Old Main Lawn**, 1600 Grand Ave., St. Paul, Minn.

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